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CYMREIGYDDION IN SWANSEA.

A SOCIETY has recently been established in Swansea under the title of "CYMDEITHAS CYMREIGYDDION GORWENYDD," the particular object of which appears to be the cultivation of a pure and critical knowledge of the Welsh tongue; in accordance with which they have declared their intention to co-operate with the Societies already established under a similar name in London and Liverpool: we heartily wish success to this infant association, and hope it will strictly adhere to the principles, upon which it professes to be formed. It affords, we trust, an additional proof of the patriotic spirit now abroad for the promotion of the great national cause.

CYMMRODORION IN CHESTER.

AN advertisement has recently appeared in one of the Chester Papers, inviting the formation of a Society in that ancient city, under the title prefixed to this notice, "for the purpose," as the advertisement states, "of stimulating and assisting each other in the research and preservation of the knowledge of the origin, antiquity, history, customs, and literature of their ancestors, the Cymry, and also to retain a correct, familiar, and facile utterance of their native language." The projectors of the institution have already taken a commodious room for the occasion, and appear to anticipate every success. They declare themselves to be "invited by the example of their countrymen;" and sincerely do we hope they may prove themselves to be animated by the better feeling, (for, unfortunately, there are feelings of a different character) which has at length been awakened amongst our mountain solitudes. The intimate connection of Chester with the Principality, and the number of Welshmen that are enclosed within its venerable walls, render it peculiarly adapted to the formation of such a Society as the one, now contemplated.

Literary Announcements.

PART VIII. of the HISTORY of NORTH WALES, by Mr. Cathrall, has just made its appearance. It concludes the Life of Owain Glyndwr, and enters upon the examination of the Welsh language.

The work, entitled MEMOIRS of OWAIN GLYNDWR, by the Rev. Thomas Thomas, so long announced, is at length published. Of the character of this production we can offer no opinion within the limits of this brief notice; we are happy to find, however, from the long list of subscribers, that the author has wisely provided against the consequences of a failure. Like a prudent sportsman, he has not ventured to take the field, without first making snrc of his quarry.
